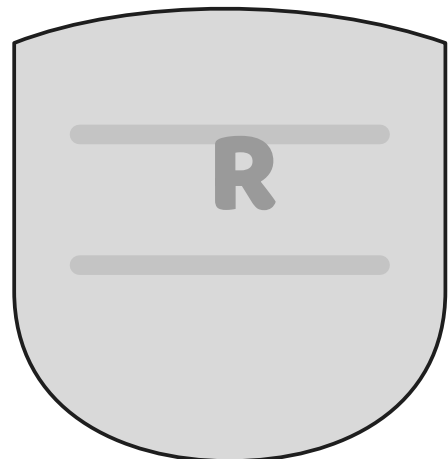
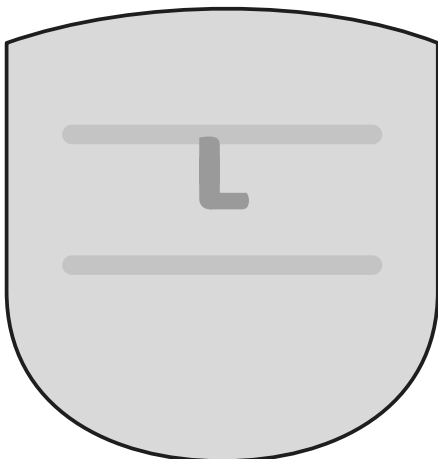
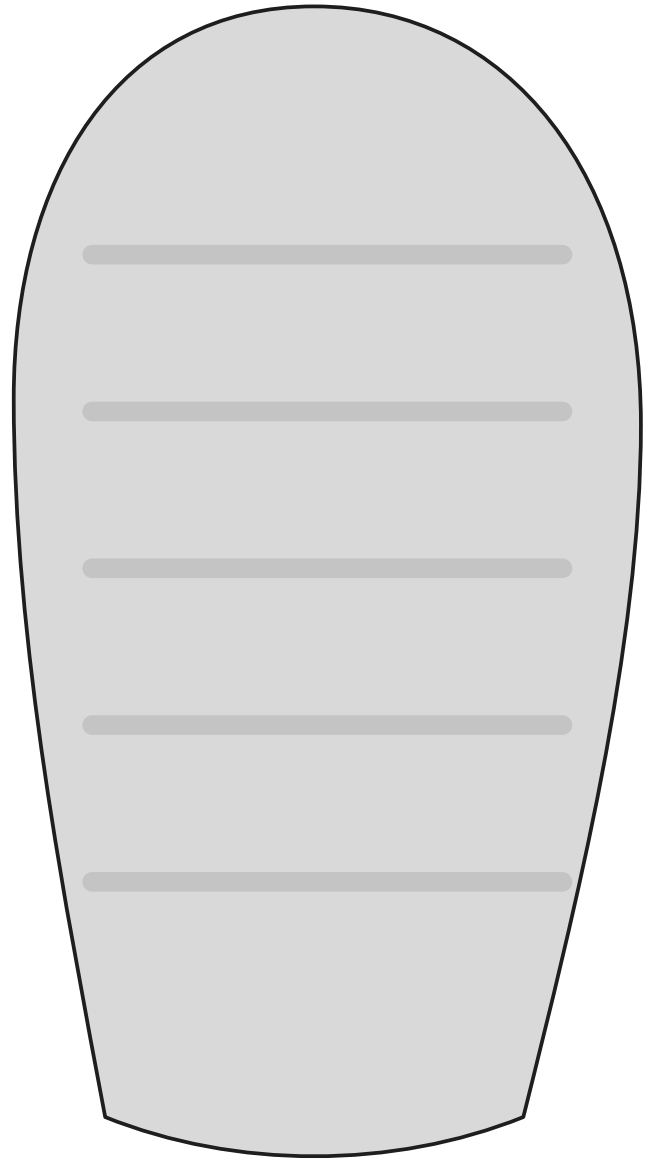
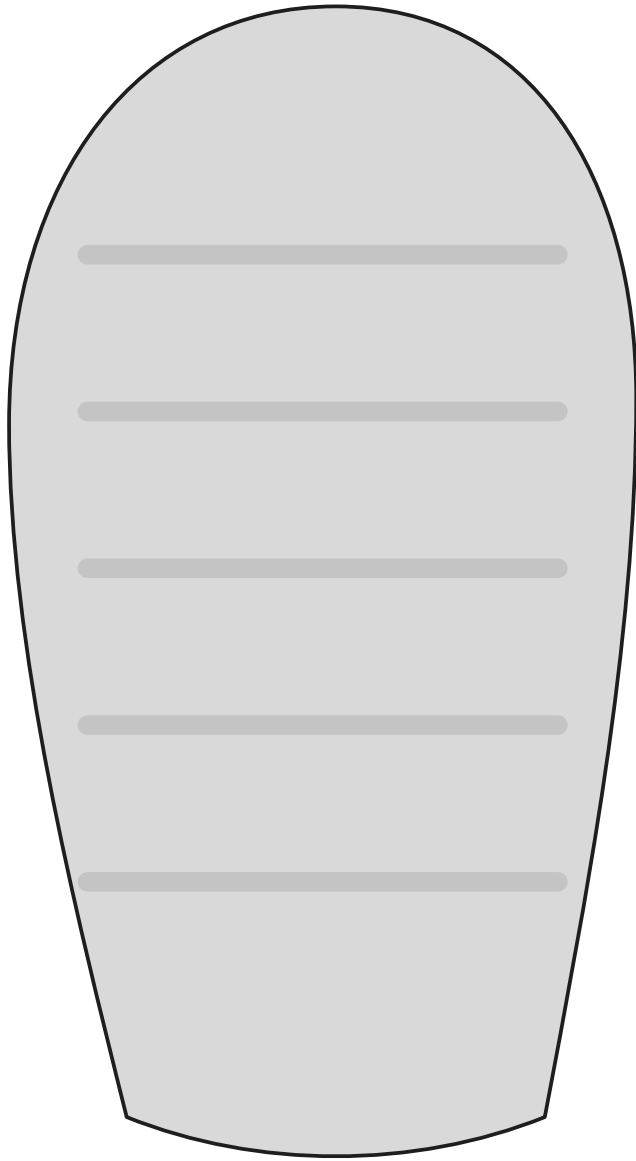


STENCIL · CUT OUT THE GRAY SHAPES

Santa's boot prints



Then turn the page to see how the footprints are made.



How to make Santa's footprints

A sieve, a little flour and a grown-up who stays up a bit later.

- 1 Cut out the boot prints**
Cut out the gray shapes on the stencil, the sole and the heel of each boot. A craft knife is quicker, and it's a grown-up's job.
- 2 Wait until they're asleep**
Santa's footprints appear after bedtime. Lay the stencil on a hard floor near the tree, or by the door, where he would have walked in.
- 3 Shake on the flour**
Shake flour or baking soda through a sieve over the holes, lift the paper straight up and move it one step along. Left, right, left, from the door to the tree.
- 4 Or use a real boot**
Put flour or baking soda on a big plate or a baking tray, press the sole of a big boot into it and step it across the floor. If it won't stick, brush the sole with a little water first.
- 5 Sweep up in the morning**
On a hard floor it sweeps right up. On a carpet, be ready for some serious vacuuming. We'd skip the glitter.

Flour is a raw food, so little ones look and don't taste, and everyone washes their hands after sweeping up.

